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Why It Does Not Pay to Hold Diplomatic Appointments—Diplomatic Treaties in Foreign Representatives Very Shabby.

(Special Washington Letter.)

There is undoubtedly a growing ambition in this country for appointments to government offices. The civil service commission files are full of applications, and there are upwards of twenty persons who pass rigid examinations for these places for every official position within the classified list. In spite of the law upon the subject the various candidates file recommendations from the politicians who are great men in their own countries, but who are unknown in Washington and of no consequence in the eyes of the department functionaries who have the bestowal of favors.

The positions which are filled by the president are comparatively few. His

purposes from all other important powers, and necessarily courtesies had to be exchanged.

The officers of the American ships were entertained on board those of each foreign government, and balls and dinner parties had to be given in return. This must cost great cost, all of which had to be defrayed out of the private purses of the United States officers, some of whom were compelled to do this. To mortgage their money for a party of two in advance to meet these international obligations. For the expenses of this sort incurred by the foreigner their home government paid as a matter of course. It seemed, however, to be considered a part of the United States officers' duty to set up the wine and refreshments on the semi-public occasions in question. So it is always. These foreigners, too, are used to the very best and most expensive wines and cigars, and the officers of the American navy cannot decently return their hospitality with inferior entertainment. It is unfortunate that international custom is so expensive; but we must take facts as we find them. We should have national pride in maintaining our part of country without taxing our public servants. If we can't dress and live as other nations do, we should fall to the rear and make no pretensions.

John C. New, of Indiana, the strong and warm political friend of President Harrison, declined the position of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Great Britain, and accepted the secondary position of consul general, because the more honorable position would have paid but \$17,000 per annum, and the expenses amount to more than \$25,000 dollars a year. He preferred to be made consul general to England, because there was money in the latter office, whereas to be minister would have ruined him. For, pray, remember, the consul generalship at London is worth something like \$40,000 a year, without any of the expensive social obligations which devolve upon a minister at court. Mr. New would have preferred the greater office, but he could not afford to take it. Robert T. Lincoln was made minister to Great Britain, and he suffered financially. Mr. New saved nearly \$100,000 during his four years as consul general.

While our ambassador to Great Britain is obliged to live on a comparatively small salary, and pay for the expenses of public entertainments out of his own pocket, the British ambassador to this country has a salary of \$80,000 per annum, a handsome residence which belongs to his government, and a liberal allowance for the expenses of state entertainments. Some of our people, imbued with Jeffersonian simplicity, will be inclined to say that these expensive entertainments might be dispensed

with. But you might as well say that on our cities, towns and villages we should do away with our entertainments of our friends. If John Jones and his wife want to invite John Smith and his wife to dine with them, or give a party for their children, they have a right to do so, and will continue to do so forever.

Well, when the French minister and the British minister, and the ministers of other countries, invite our diplomatic representatives to state dinners, those invitations must be accepted; and our ministers and ambassadors must give similar entertainments in return.

It is the custom of the civilized world, and we must comply with those customs or else give up diplomatic relations with other nations, which is impossible.

At these great entertainments the ladies belonging to the families of our foreign ministers must dress as the wives and daughters of other ministers dress. No lady can appear on such an occasion in any gown costing less than \$500 without appearing to be a cheap person from a cheap nation. On such occasions the ladies must be dressed in attire entirely new, and which has never been worn before.

When James Buchanan was minister to Great Britain he was requested to appear at the opening of parliament with gold lace and livery, and he was told by the master of ceremonies that the queen would expect it of him. Thereupon Mr. Buchanan absented himself from the opening of parliament, and a great international stir was made about it; but Mr. Buchanan was induced by the American people in the stand which he had taken. Since then, when the ladies of the families of our ministers are expected to appear in livery, they are not expected to wear any regalia or insignia of rank. They appear in the plain evening dress costume which prevails in polite society in this republic.

SMITH D. FRY.

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Benjamin Franklin in Court Dress.

direct appointments do not exceed 7,000, while there are more than 150,000 appointments made by the members of the cabinet of which the president knows nothing. He has no time for the consideration of such matters.

Nearly 70,000 appointments of postmasters are made by the postmaster general; and he has also the disposal of many places of still less importance than postmasterships. In fact, the great majority of appointments in the postal service are made by the assistant postmaster general, with the tacit approval of the head of the department. The secretary of the interior and the secretary of the navy make many thousands of appointments, and the files of their appointment clerks are overloaded with applications from all parts of the country.

Nearly all of the positions in the department of state are filled by the president; and the late Secretary Blaine was annoyed and exasperated because President Harrison filled the majority of the diplomatic and consular positions without even consulting him. As a matter of fact this was the real cause of the bitter feeling which existed between Mr. Blaine and President Harrison in 1891-2. Other presidents and secretaries of state have quarreled in similar manner over the disposition of the spoils of office. There is a great deal of unwritten history on this subject.

For some unaccountable reason appointments to positions in the diplomatic service seem to be most desired by our high-class office-seekers. They seem to go abroad as ministers or consuls to foreign governments. And yet these positions scarcely pay enough for decent frugal living to their incumbents. From the commencement of our national life this country has pursued a policy of starvation toward its diplomatic representatives. John Adams, afterwards president of the United States, was our minister to the court of Saint James. In 1787 the congress cut down his salary by one-fifth and he wrote to the department of state a letter saying: "We are to dine to-morrow at a table with \$3,000 upon it and next day we return the civility by inviting the same company to dine with us upon earthware. Depend upon it, that nation which places its own ambassadors at the tail of the whole creation cannot expect itself to be soon at the head." And yet the same penurious policy is pursued until this day. Our representatives at foreign courts are not paid enough to enable them to present a proper appearance as envoys of a great republic.

We can thank Benjamin Franklin, our minister to France, for making a precedent in this direction. His famous tact told him that it would never do to try a contest in ducery with the courtiers of Louis XVI, so he appeared in the presence of that monarch in hose and buckram, which he evidently did not consider to his disadvantage when he said that Franklin made him (Louis) "the second man in his own realm." At that time this country has become the richest in the world, and plutocrats bursting with dollars are eager in solidly lionizing from the government in foreign parts. It is said now that no man who is not a millionaire can afford to neglect missions from this country, so enormous is the expense of such an appointment. For, say what you will, an ambassador to France or Prussia feels the same humiliation that afflicted John Adams when he found himself unable to keep his end up in behalf of the United States with diplomats from other nations. In a small way the case is very well illustrated by the situation of an American naval officer of rank. Such a man, in the service of Great Britain when exposed to a necessity for entertaining, is supplied by his government with a fund for the purpose, or is authorized to draw on bills in the admiralty. There are circumstances under which American naval officers are put to really great expense in this way. For instance, at the New Orleans exposition an admiral was sent in command of a small fleet to do honors on the water for the United States. These were vessels present for complimentary

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MONAT LAST

By Bernard Bagby.

"George Harland!" he shrieked. "My God, what have I done?"

He helps Grey bear the lifeless burden to the house, he hears little Willie's piteous cry, as they lay it on the bed, he lingers for one moment at the door and tries to utter a few words of sympathy, which his parched lips refuse to form, he looks in mute appeal to Alice, he sees her pointing to the door, and hears her scornful "Go!" with a groan, as he sinks into the deserted street, straight on his way to give himself up at the nearest police station.

For days George Harland's spirit hovered between life and death—and all the time the wolf was at the door, and the poor, stricken woman knew nowhere to turn for help, too proud even to let her lodger know they were lacking the bare necessities of life.

"Alice," said the sorrowful wife one day, when George was convalescing, "will you take care of Willie? I am going down town."

"Yes; but where are you going, Nell?"

"To the pawnbroker's," was the sad reply.

"Oh, Nell!"

Those who live in a less prosperous condition could hardly understand the torturing anguish in the girl's tones, where none

is so poor he would not blush to own he had fled to that last refuge of the destitute.

"And I must bear my share of the sacrifice, O, do let me, Nell," and Alice ran to fetch the pretty trinkets and best dress it had cost her so much pinching to earn.

In rapid succession all her superfluous belongings—then the necessities, the spectacles and blankets, George's best clothes, and one sorrowful day saw the young, sobbing wife draw her wedding ring from her finger and pass down the street to the house with the three golden bolts.

How vain had been George Harland's boast of his superb strength, mechanical skill, temperate habits, and profitable employment. He, who had defied sickness and laughed at misfortune, now lay a physical wreck in a gaunt house blighted by the curse of a walking delegate.

CHAPTER XII.
PAINTING BY THE WAYSIDE.

THEY WERE IT WE RAPIDLY BY.

The merchants of the city presented Nellie Harland with a purse of five hundred dollars. George was on a fair way to recovery. Alice had secured a position in a store, where her kind and laughing eyes bore testimony to a contented spirit that rejoices in a fair day's wage for a fair day's work, and when Joe Henderson was happy to redeem the future, and all but Frank Grey were happy.

Times were not prosperous with him. Spring succeeded winter, yet he had secured no permanent employment, while the fees he had received for desultory contributions to the journals and magazines had been so small that he was obliged to draw on his little capital till the end of his resources was unpleasantly close at hand.

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Now necessity has no laws. The world did not want his services, save one way, and that the most obnoxious, who stay in it, in nine cases out of ten, just as short a time as necessity compels them to do so.

His new field of labor—for he soon found that there was a village a hundred miles from the city amid the rolling prairies of Illinois.

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But a strange thing was to happen. The speaker was in the midst of the most lurid flight of his imagination, and paused with folded arms to let the weight of his words sink into the hearts of his hearers.

Every eye was fixed on him. Every boom was thrilled with emotion.

Suddenly—no one could say exactly how or whence she came—a young woman sprang to his side, pale as marble and with flashing eyes, hatless and with hair streaming in the wind.

She stood for a moment facing the startled multitude, and then a voice laden with passion, but clear and musical as a bell, she cried with unaccustomed pliancy:

"Men and women hear me, for I will speak. I come to you from a home made desolate by your folly, from the bedside of a half-murdered husband, with the cries of my children for bread ringing in my maddened ears. O, listen to me! For the sake of your wives and little ones you must and shall hear me!"

"Order," yelled Alice, recovering his self-possession. "Throw her out! Off with the crazy fool!"

"No," cried the sickle crowd. "Let her speak."

With this ill-learned young woman inspired words leaped from her lips in clear, resonant tones that held the people spellbound. Men forgot her haggard look and mean attire, for her ears

drank in the music of her voice, as every suffering, and when in glowing tones she pictured her happy days before the strike, and drew the contrast of her present blighted life, the women sobbed sympathetically and even men's eyes filled with tears.

And did they grow restive when she reproached them for according to their needs the comfort of those they should have loved dearer than their lives—the follies, the madness of their actions,

which had led them to the very verge of ruin? No, they listened on.

"And for what," she cried, "for what have you steeped your souls in crime and shadowed your homes in poverty? For a sentiment for a weak, sickly sense of offended dignity, which a school-boy would blush to put over."

Then, with infinite tenderness, she drew pictures of her sister's sorrows, and the tragic story of Joe Henderson's love and ruin. And at last, in one grand burst of passionate eloquence, she told them the story of her own life.

She finished—cast one look full of mate paths at the people—and with head bowed low retreated from the scene.

For a moment there was silence; then the pent-up feelings of those thrilling first minutes burst forth in one tremendous roar of applause.

Cheer upon cheer greeted the brave girl, as she stepped through the crowd; women stung round her and clasped her hand in tears and laughter; men shook her by the hand and poured lavish praises in her ears.

Well might those self-elected tribunes of the people, Scholesinger and Atkins, look glum, for the backbone of the strike was broken and the next day the busy hum of industry made music in the erst deserted shanties of Chicago.

And one man went back to his lodging dismayed at the events—feeling very much as this temple of desecration were but a house built of cards, which a girl with her finger had toppled over and left him more in doubt than ever as to which was the best way to solve the intricate problem of the rights of labor.

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"Order," yelled Alice, recovering his self-possession. "Throw her out! Off with the crazy fool!"

"No," cried the sickle crowd. "Let her speak."

With this ill-learned young woman inspired words leaped from her lips in clear, resonant tones that held the people spellbound. Men forgot her haggard look and mean attire, for her ears

drank in the music of her voice, as every suffering, and when in glowing tones she pictured her happy days before the strike, and drew the contrast of her present blighted life, the women sobbed sympathetically and even men's eyes filled with tears.

And did they grow restive when she reproached them for according to their needs the comfort of those they should have loved dearer than their lives—the follies, the madness of their actions,

which had led them to the very verge of ruin? No, they listened on.

"And for what," she cried, "for what have you steeped your souls in crime and shadowed your homes in poverty? For a sentiment for a weak, sickly sense of offended dignity, which a school-boy would blush to put over."

Then, with infinite tenderness, she drew pictures of her sister's sorrows, and the tragic story of Joe Henderson's love and ruin. And at last, in one grand burst of passionate eloquence, she told them the story of her own life.

blush, though the color is very becoming to your cheeks. Now, Mr. Grey, I wanted to ask a favor of you.

"Be assured it will be granted."

"I want you to try hard to love me just one little bit."

"No need to try, dear Mrs. Woodgrove; no one could be in the same house with you and not love you."

"That is very prettily spoken, Mr. Grey, so I will reward your gallantry by dismissing you to your own chamber till we meet at lunch."

The first thing Grey did when he found himself in the solitude of his room was to write a long letter to Jack Wilders, a pleasure he had denied himself during his long disappointments in Chicago, for now with a clear conscience he could be the honest prospector to tell him all the news of Oregon.

Little did he think that while he was basking in the sun of prosperity, the cold clouds of trouble were hanging over the head of the girl he loved dearer than his life itself.

CHAPTER XIII.
ELISE SURPRISES EVERYBODY.

You may be sure there was a pretty commotion outside the pit-mouth, when Jack and Elise were brought to the surface. Elise was there, pale as ashes, with tears and sweat and a resolution.

Mrs. Whitford and a score of other women were ready at hand with their services; for, alas, frequent calls on such occasions and the women folk to sights of suffering, as the clang of the ambulance bell was often heard in the land.

Elise was carried home, where she lay on a sofa propped with pillows, undergoing a cross-examination by her

foster parents, while Archibald Dodd stood glowering in the background, eyeing the unfortunate girl malevolently but with the air of one who is not quite certain of the trend of events.

It was sitting behind a rock "Elise began to slowly when a man approached, who stood close to me—why, I could almost have touched him."

"Did you recognize him?"

Dodd leaned forward and asked eagerly. Elise paused. Trouble was teaching her discretion. So, looking straight into Dodd's eyes, she said with a meaning that he could understand:

"I cannot say that I recognized him."

"This man was joined by another—a tall, slouching person, who talked with them for several minutes."

Dodd asked gently:

"You heard what they said, dear child?"

"Every word."

"Yes. Their conversation divulged a plot to murder William by sending him on a fool's errand down into the bottom of the mine, where the other, then, hired to do it by the one, had half cut into the rungs of the lowest ladder."

"The dastardly villains!" cried the corporal, now keenly interested. "Well, what then, lass?"

"Oh, you've heard the rest. I went down to him and I suppose I saved his life."

"And a brave lass thou art," the corporal cried, exultingly. "The whole country will be talking of thy pluck."

Then Dodd said very significantly:

"Brave—and what is better than brave is wisdom. The maiden has shown a discretion beyond her years."

Though she resolved as a matter of policy to hide Dodd's share of the crime, she could not help showing that it would be impossible to remain under the same roof with him; so in the course of a couple of days she announced to her mother an intention of visiting the Wilders' to take care of their little boy, whilst Millie was nursing her sick husband.

To her surprise but little objection was made to the proposition, and even what little there was was overruled by Dodd, who evinced the greatest desire to see her go.

Before she left home, however, she determined to come to an understanding with him, and the opportunity of doing so was not long in coming.

"Mr. Dodd, one word with you," she said, abruptly, for trouble had made Elise more self-reliant.

"With pleasure, my dear child."

"This very unctuously."

"I wanted to tell you that I did recognize the man who came first to the surface, and I am sure you will recognize him."

"Oh, no, my dear child, you did not. You denied that you had done so in the presence of two witnesses."

"Now for my part, Elise, I am convinced that the whole scene of the rocks was an hallucination of a slightly disordered mind. You then suffered afterwards a great mental strain and—"

"Will!"

"You talk! Do not profane your pretty lips by fashioning ugly words. You probably did hear two passers-by mention the fact that they had seen Mr. William Wilders, and the mine, and knowing its deplorable condition, you very heroically—as for those sawn rungs—"

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The goldbugs of Paducah, who captured the McCracken county convention and succeeded in "turning down" Charlie Wheeler, the leader of the bimetalists, are highly elated over their unexpected triumph. The Standard has this:

"Mr. Wheeler gracefully accepts the situation, though a very much surprised and somewhat chagrined apostle of the free silver leader. To sleep and to dream and to find it all a dream sometimes make a man sorry that he was awakened. Col. Wheeler is in about this condition; he had supposed that McCracken county was rampant for silver, but alas it was but a dream." Shutting a man like Wheeler out of a delegation will not keep him away from the convention. There are plenty of free silver counties that are willing and anxious to "take care of him," and it is dollars to doughnuts that the brainy young silver leader will be very much in evidence when the music strikes up next week.

A letter from a gentleman in Louisville says Congressman Clardy is being discussed as a suitable man for temporary chairman of the coming convention. No better selection could be made. Dr. Clardy is a well-equipped parliamentarian, having filled many positions as a presiding officer requiring knowledge of parliamentary procedure. He represents the Democratic section of the state and, being a farmer, is close to the pulse of the people themselves. His selection would give universal satisfaction to the county Democrats. Dr. Clardy is the best man yet suggested for the position.

The Owensboro Messenger achieved a signal triumph in its fight for silver in Owensboro and Daviess county. It took up the gauntlet of battle thrown down by the Louisville papers, the revenue forces, the bankers and the powerful corporations of that wealthy city and succeeded in securing a sweeping victory not only in the county but in the city district as well. This result cannot fail to greatly enhance the influence of that ably edited and outspoken advocate of sound Democracy.

The Chicago Record's Ballot on the silver question closed Monday, a total of 12,936 votes having been cast by voters of Chicago, irrespective of party. Of these 8,028 were for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without regard to other nations, and 4,908 were against it. These figures showed a majority of nearly two to one in the great city of Chicago for the money of the constitution. There were 253 votes cast by women, 190 for and 63 against silver.

The second district is a silver stronghold. Christian, Henderson, Daviess, Hancock and McLean will cast 47 of their 49 votes for silver. The other 27 votes in Union, Webster and Hopkins will at least be divided and should it come to a vote 60 of the 76 votes will be found on the right side.

The Louisville papers are deliberately misrepresenting the situation when they claim that the returns show a victory against silver. The silver men as a rule want harmony, but if the gold fanatics try to force the issue two thirds of the delegates will be found on the side of bimetalism.

Senator Stewart, of Nevada, the silver leader of the west, was advertised to speak at Lexington last night.

Gov. Wm. Y. Atkinson, of Georgia, is believed to be hopelessly ill of appendicitis. He was inaugurated last January, and is just 40 years of age. In the event of his death the President of the Senate, Wm. H. Venable, would act as Governor until an election could be ordered.

Editor W. P. Walton of the Standard Interior Journal, was married this week to Miss Mattie Owsley, of that city. All of his brethren of the press will unite in wishing him a future as happy as the days are long.

A careful examination of the list of Louisville delegates fails to disclose the names of those distinguished goldbugs, Editors Richard W. Knott and Henry Watterson. Perhaps after all we may have harmony.

It was all right for Patterson to mount the raging stump in Kentucky to advocate the gold standard, but the Sherman orphans think it is something highly improper for Senator Stewart to speak for free silver.

Congressman Hendricks and Secretary Carlisle are now in a position to confide with each other. Livingston and Kenton counties both send free silver delegations to Louisville.

McCracken county is nursing a boomlet for Henry Burnett as a dark horse candidate for governor on a gold platform.

The national convention of Republican clubs in session at Cleveland is having much trouble over the silver question.

Col. Nall, for commissioner of agriculture, has about the surest thing of any candidate with a show of opposition.

Gov. Atkinson, of Georgia, is very low from the effects of an operation for appendicitis.

The silver men are going to have harmony if they have to fight for it.

DANGER IN TOYS.

Those Sold on the Street May Convey Infection.

The reading public is by this time fairly conversant with the ordinary sources of danger from contagion to which it is exposed and it has been duly warned to avoid the indiscriminate use of hair brushes and towels and of the ear pieces of the phonograph; to touch not with ungloved hand the brass guiding-rail of the street car and to be suspicious even of the telephone transmitter.

But, according to a medical journal, the latest hazard in infection is confined to children. Many ingenious toys are now offered on the sidewalks of city streets by itinerant vendors. One of these is a tube of paper furnished with a short piece of bamboo at one end, up to which it is coiled by the action of a slight steel spring. On blowing into the bamboo the coil is unrolled and shoots out nearly a yard and the sudden extension has a comical effect, very entertaining to the youthful mind. Another form of toy is the miniature bagpipe, which is made to emit its characteristic sounds by the pressure of air from a small rubber ball which has been inflated by air blown from the mouth.

Attention is called to the possible consequences of buying these toys, which are presented to a child after being inflated by questionable breath, and perhaps wetted with the moisture of the still more ques-



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tionable tips of the vender. An infected mouthpiece has been known to be the origin of grave constitutional troubles, and it seems strange that persons who would hesitate to drink out of a glass that has been used will buy these toys and take them to their children without thought of the disease by which they may have been contaminated. Among the impoverished makers and vendors, sore throats, diphtheria and contagious fevers in very early stages may be raging and children may contract fatal diseases of even a worse character than any of these by using these toys.

The Tennessee Press Association, which has been spending a week at Cumberland Island, off the Georgia coast, passed through Atlanta on its homeward trip on last Wednesday. Quite a number of editors stopped over in Atlanta at the invitation of the Cotton States and International Exposition Company, and were entertained at a barbecue at the country house of Mr. W. A. Hemphill, vice-president of the Exposition Company. They were given an electric car ride over the city, and escorted over the Exposition grounds by a committee from the Exposition Directory.

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Wilberforce, Ohio, University, the oldest institution in the country for the education of negroes, a few days ago conferred the degree of LL. D. upon President Cleveland. The President has sent an autograph letter to President Mitchell, of Wilberforce declining the honor, giving as a reason that he is not a college graduate and has gone on record as declining a similar honor from one of the greatest universities of the country.

The fourth trial of the suit of Wm. R. Laidlaw against Russell Sage for \$50,000, ended at New York Tuesday. A stay in the case was granted until next September, when the trial will be resumed. The plaintiff brought in a verdict in the plaintiff's favor for \$40,000. The suit was for damages alleged to have been sustained by Laidlaw on an account.

Sage using him as a shield against Dynamiter Norcross' bomb.

Wednesday was the eightieth anniversary of the battle of Waterloo. Of the hundreds of thousands of men who struggled that day for supremacy, all have passed away, except two in America, four in the British Isles and six in France, and most of these are centenarians. Jas. R. Green, of Kansas, O., now 97 years old, witnessed the battle while a lad in the English army.

The quarterly century and annual meeting of the Kentucky State Dental Association will be held at Lexington Tuesday, June 25. The meeting will be one of the largest ever held by the association, and the dentists from all over the State who are members of the organization have signified their intention of being present.

Maj. S. P. Gross, the manager of the restaurant in the Kentucky building at the World's Fair has abandoned his damage suit against the Kentucky Commissioners.

Carl Browne, Coxey's new son-in-law, has been sent to jail at Macon, O., on an old criminal charge, Coxey declining to renew his bond.

At Kenosha, Ky., Millard Markham ran a knife through the temple of John Vickers, a miner, the wound quickly resulting in death.

A brother of Miles Ogle, the notorious counterfeiter, shot and killed an old man in Campbell county whose name was Jonah Myers.

Arthur Gauden killed his wife and fatally wounded her paramour, Thomas Murphy, near Louisville. Gauden is in jail at Lagrange.

The tea men of Henderson have inaugurated a war of prices and the rate per hundred pounds has been cut 25 cents.

The Graves county Democrats did a good day's work in nominating Judge J. E. Robbins for the legislature.

Dr. P. B. Davis is the Democratic nominee for the legislature in Hopkins county. He is for Brown for senator.

Higenot and Banks, two Leslie county desperadoes, shot each other Tuesday and Higenot will die.

Questionable female characters of Owensboro, have been given 48 hours in which to leave town.

Henry Powell killed John Brown near Henderson in a row over a woman. All negroes.

Dr. R. N. Moss has been nominated for the legislature by the Democrats of Luray county.

Will Chandler, a negro rapist, was lynched at Abbeville, Miss., Tuesday.

The Colorado Democrats will hold a silver convention at Denver July 2.

W. H. Cardwell killed Dito Jones at Aberdeen, Ky., over a chicken.

A boy named Bruner was drowned near Owensboro.

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On account of the Knights of St. John encampment, the Ohio Valley Ry will sell tickets to Evansville and return, on train leaving Hopkinsville at 5:40 a. m., June 24, at \$2.00 for the round trip. Good returning on train leaving Evansville at 10 p. m. the same day. On June 25 to 28th will sell at one and one-third fare, return limit, June 29.

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During the "heated term"—and it has been super-heated so far this summer—a home on the rolling "dun" has many attractions; but for the average boy the sea possesses a fascination at all times, and boys who are so fortunate as to have the opportunity to gratify their ambition "to go to sea" are usually the envied of their associates. A bright and charmingly illustrated article in Demorest's Magazine for July, "The Making of a Sailor," tells about the life aboard the school-ship St. Mary's, where boys are trained to become thorough and expert sailors, and where work and play are so judiciously mingled that there is no danger of Jack becoming a bad boy. In the same number is a paper on "Colonial Philadelphia," containing some quaint facts and embellished with illustrations of old landmarks that are of special interest. Taken altogether this is a charming number of this always popular family magazine, which is published for \$2 a year. Office of publication, 15 East 14th St., New York.

THE CUBAN PATRIOTS.

A stirring Engagement in Which the Cubans Avenged the Outrages Committed Upon Non-Combatants.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., June 18.—A special to the Florida Citizen from Gainesville says: F. R. Anderoff, of this city, an old friend of Maj. Winn, of the Sixth Cuban Volunteers, has received another letter direct from the seat of the Cuban rebellion. The letter is as follows:

"AMERICA, PROVINCE OF CAMAGUEY, CUBA, VIA TAMPA, June 14.—Our troops to-day surprised a battalion of Spanish soldiers and almost annihilated them. It seems that their Major, hearing that a wounded Cuban officer was being nursed at this place, decided to capture him. The Spanish Major, taking his command, reached the village this morning just before day-break. After searching all the houses and not finding the wounded Cuban officer, he called some citizens before him and demanded on pain of torture that they disclose his hiding place. All denied any knowledge of the Cuban officer. The Spanish officer thereupon put all the citizens to torture. Meanwhile the Cuban had escaped and made all possible speed to us, reporting to Col. Rodriguez, who was in command. We were immediately ordered forward on double quick time. When we reached the village the scene beggared description. The Spaniards had fired the houses, and were torturing and killing on every side. Women did not escape. Our men were wild with rage. After firing one volley, they became so ferocious that they charged, and were soon engaged in a hand to hand encounter. No quarrel was given, and those of the Spaniards who were unhurt and had the strength, fled in dismay. Dead and dying were lying in heaps about the place. This was the most desperate battle I have ever been engaged in. Our loss is 163 out of a force of 500, while the Spanish loss is 472 by actual count, including officers. We captured their complete outfit and arms. This battle will delay us in reaching Gomez, but we hope to join him to-morrow."

Judge Watkins' Announcement.

Judge Thos. J. Watkins, of Lyon county, is formally announced to-day as a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention July 10. Judge Watkins, high standing as a lawyer and a gentleman are conceded wherever he is known. He is one of the best and ablest lawyers in the district and would make an admirable judge. The Edgelyville Tale says of him: "We believe that Lyon county presents a candidate in the person of Judge T. J. Watkins, the man not only well equipped for that important position, but one who would lead the party to victory in November with an overwhelming majority, and then would exactly fill the shoes that would be made empty by the promotion of Judge Grace to the Appellate bench."

Almost a Fatal Accident.

A very painful accident, that came near resulting in fatal injuries to Mrs. B. B. Nance, occurred at her home near Pee Dee last Tuesday. A skillet of grease left by a colored woman on a hot stove had taken fire, when the woman seized hold of it and in carrying it out, ran against Mrs. Nance and her young daughter. As a result the grease was thrown over all three of them. Mr. Nance, hearing their cries, came to their rescue, but not until his wife had been very seriously burned. Much of the skin and flesh was burned from her body. Her shoulders were almost burned to a crisp, and her hair and eye-brows were badly singed. Her daughter was quite severely injured by the accident, as was also the negro woman.

More Time for Starr.

The city council held a meeting Monday afternoon considering a report from Joseph W. Starr who is in Boston and trying to perfect his arrangements to go ahead with the waterworks contract, the board again extended his time until July 2, at which time he must have his plans perfected or lose his franchise. The original contract called for the completion of the works by July 15, 1895.

The General Association.

The General Association of Kentucky Baptists closed a three days meeting at Paducah Monday night. About 100 delegations from the Associations were present. Dr. J. S. Coleman was re-elected moderator for the 15th time. The various reports showed that the church had been fairly prosperous. Many subjects of interest to the denomination were discussed. The annual meeting will be held at Bowling Green.

A Farmer's Fall.

Mr. W. C. West who lives a few miles north of the city, made an assignment Monday naming Mrs. Kate A. West, his wife, as assignee. Liabilities and assets not yet given out, but neither will be very heavy. Mr. West formerly lived in the city, but moved to the country several years ago.

Police Court News.

On Wednesday Judge Hanbery disposed of the following business: Steve Blair, Edger Major and Tom Redd, all colored, breach of peace, fined \$5 and costs each. The case of Frank E. Wagner, colored, charged with throwing rocks into a train, and Tom Clark, disorderly, will be heard this morning.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, 'DR'.

PRICES
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

HARDIN LEADS.

From First Page.

On the money issue only 238 votes are instructed against silver, about 25 per cent of the vote. About 135 are instructed for silver, in counties representing the extreme silver sentiment like Logan, Davies and Crittenden. In a big majority of the counties not instructed, the delegations are like those from Christian, practically solid for silver. If the delegates make any attempt to have the currency plank of the Republican platform, or anything like it, inserted in the resolutions, there will be some very lively times ahead. The fact that the Louisville delegation has already elected Jno. M. Atherton as its member on the resolutions committee, is fair warning that there is a desire for harmony in the gold faction.

HARDIN'S BEST VIEW.

The Post quotes Gen. Hardin as saying of his views:

"To his friends Gen. Hardin expressed himself as confident that he will win the gubernatorial nomination at the State convention. He expected to lead in the instructed votes, but says the instructed vote is not a fair expression of his strength. He expects by far the larger part of the uninstructed vote."

MR. CLAY'S CONFIDENCE.

To a reporter Mr. Clay said that according to the reports of correspondents, he had lost some delegations which he supposed would be for him, but the reports more than offset these losses by gains elsewhere, which he had not expected. In several counties, too, he thought the Hardin estimate of uninstructed delegates was "in excess of what would be developed in the convention."

It was evident that Mr. Clay looked for substantial support from some of the uninstructed counties. Counties like Mason, Shelby and McCracken were in point.

On the whole Mr. Clay seemed to be well satisfied with his prospects. He had not received any private information as to the financial coloring over the State.

PROF. DIETRICH.

The School Board Passes Resolutions.

At a meeting of the School Board, held on the 14th of June, 1895, the following resolutions were adopted, unanimously:

Resolved, That the Hopkinsville School Board, in accepting the resignation of Prof. Charles H. Dietrich as Superintendent of the Hopkinsville Public School, desire to say in recognition of his merits, that it is with unbounded regret that we learn of his determination to sever his connection with our schools. This Board recognizes in him a man of great ability, executive talent and great learning and integrity. His high sense of justice, his impartiality and strict adherence to duty in all of his official and personal relations with this Board and our school, whether popular or unpopular, have received and should receive, the applause of all just citizens of our community. We commend him wherever he may go as a scholar and a gentleman. We are not unmindful of our obligations to him, as members of society. For fifteen years he has had, in a great measure, the control and direction, not to say the future weal or woe, of our children in his charge. No man can estimate the good he has done, the blessing he has been to this community. Let the thousands of children who have gone on and out of these schools be grateful to him for his efforts, and let the hundreds of young men and women whose intelligence and cultivation are so largely due to him, show forth his praise to an observant and interested public. We extend to him our gratitude for his devotion to our schools, his zeal and success in the cause of education, and the elevating influence which, through his efforts, have been brought to bear upon the children of this city.

May success attend him.

J. D. RUSSELL, Ch'm.

A copy attest.

J. E. McPHERSON, Sec'y.

A Bran Famine.

There is not a bushel of bran for sale in Hopkinsville at any price. For some weeks the mills have been shut down for repairs, and the little stocks they had on hand were soon exhausted. The price in May was 16¢ cents per bushel, but all that has been sold lately brought 20 cents. None is to be had except a few sacks brought in occasionally by the country mills. None of the produce dealers here have thought it worth while to order from supply centers in carload lots. After this week the millers expect to resume business and to be able to fill orders.

Here is a Partial List of the

GOODS WE CARRY IN STOCK.

Bicycles, Engines, Threshers, Stickers, Binders, Mowers, Wagons, Buggies, Phaetons, Road Carts, Harrows, Hardware, Cultivators, Drills, Fertilizers, Seeds, Plows, Double Shovels, Saddlery, Harness, Blacksmithing, Horse-shoeing, Repairing, Etc., Etc., Etc.

Steam Fitting Goods, Rubber Hoses, Belting, Majestic Steel Ranges, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, Brackets, Shingles, Mantles, Grates, Cement, Lime, Fire-Brick, White Lead, Linseed Oil, Glass, Putty, Paint Brushes, Paints, Varnishes, Tobacco Hhds, Barb Wire, Staples, Nails.

ROCK SALT FOR YOUR CATTLE AND TO FREEZE YOUR CREAM.

Sash, Doors and Blinds

Full stock bought before the advance and sold accordingly.

Screen Doors and Windows

Made to fit any opening. Leave orders for sizes.

A car load of Steel Roofing just received. This makes the cheapest roof you can put on. Stables and coal houses built within the fire limits can be built very cheaply with corrugated Iron siding and covered with steel roofing.

Forbes & Bro.

New Spring Goods



We have opened for inspection our complete assortments of new Spring Goods. Never before have we been able to offer so many inducements in either style, variety or price. . . .

Bran New Patterns

That cannot be found at any other house in the city. Don't wait for the Spring rush. See our goods and get prices. . . .

We Open

Carpets.

Reliable Maes. Only those makes which we can guarantee are allowed in our stock. Any pattern you select will be first-class. . . .

The Spring Trade with a superb stock of first-class Dress Goods, Trimmings, etc., at prices that are lower than ever before. Goods cheerfully shown.

C. M. LATHAM

Good Things

Late Buyers

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can be had at our store now. The HOT WEATHER makes LIGHT CLOTHING a necessity.

Nice long check cotton coats, . . . \$ 48
Well-made stripe sateen, . . . 98
Fine black alpaca coats, . . . 1.24
Fine silk-luster coats, . . . 1.98
Genuine mohair coats, . . . 1.98
French Drap De Te coats and vests, 3.98
Linen duck white trousers, . . . 1.25
Boys fancy luster coats,90
Black bro. and mixed seamless sox, .10
Special, blk. imported Maco sox fast black and full regular worth 25, 1.24

COX & BOULWARE.

STANDING IN THE DOOR.

Ople Read Tells a Story He Heard in Texas.

The Old Negro Mother Had No Idea of the Flight of Time and After Half a Century of Waiting Still Looked for Her Girl.

(Written for This Paper.)

How odd it will sound after awhile to hear some one say, "I saw a human being placed upon a block and sold to the highest bidder." And yet many of us have seen this. But how dreamy and shadowy it seems, away back, yonder in that past that the thrill of childhood makes hallowed. The world is swift and in the feverish life that comes at nightfall, we can hear a cry of distress—we know that life is full of greed, and that men trample upon the weak and forget the dying in their race for the dollar, and yet we must acknowledge that the world is better than it was when a human being was placed upon a block and sold.

Some time ago, in Texas, I heard a story that affected me greatly.



"NO, DA AIN'T IN SIGHT YET."

I was at a farmhouse, sitting on a porch amid an entanglement of morning-glory vines. An old negro woman came out of the house and stood upon the steps, and shading her eyes with her hand, looked down the road. "No, da ain't in sight yit," I heard her say. "Who is not in sight?" I asked. "Law me, is you listenin' ter my fool-falness? You musn't pay no 'tention ter me, chile. An' I know you'd laugh at me if I was ter tell you who I was lookin' for."

"No, I wouldn't."

"Sho aurf, now? Well, I ain't tole it so long dat I would 'less like ter tell it ergin'."

I assured her that I would not laugh; and I urged her until she told me the following story:

"I wuz er livin' erway back yander in Tennessee. Ole mars an' ole miss wuz po' folks, an' I waster tell you dat it wuz alius bad ter 'long ter po' people, fur you didn't know how soon da'd batter sell you. Niggers wuz jes like any ader property, an' it didn't no difference how much dar owners wuz 'tached ter hem, w'y sometimes da had ter gh' em up jest de same. Ole mars an' ole miss wuz monstus 'tache ter ole doan' biele da ever did whup me—no 'o cuse I had ter work hard an' dat wuz ter be 'spected, fur da wuz po'. Da cussed one ader nigger er grev' his bench-laiged feller named Ben, an' I grieved up, da wanted me ter marry Ben. I didn't like dat nigger, he wuzn't my style, er 'all, an' I tole ole miss dat he wa'n't. I tole her dat she had dun raised me so particular dat I wuz mighty keeful fur I married, but ole miss kep on er sayin' dat I ought ter marry Ben. An' dat triflin' nigger hung round my cabin do most all day, some times er Sunday, er beguin' me ter marry him. But I tole him dat he wouldn't. Huh, I tole him dat he didn't wuz ter suit me. I didn't want ter pesson dat went er wabblin' er long ter him. He got me in m'no er wagin dat didn't track. I waster tell him ter git outen my way ut I sold him, but de rascal knowed dat I wouldn't do dat, an' he kep on er hangin' round de door. Ole marster he tack it inter his head dat I must marry Ben—loved one day dat I



"ER CRYIN' FITEEN TO KILL HERSELF."

wuz do ernest ter marry an' be wuth mo' den de simple work I wuz doin'. Wanted chilun, doan see you see—no niggers, you understand. 'O cuse da could er made me marry him, an' he da wanted ter, but da didn't like ter do dat. Ole mars an' ole miss had er daughter, de puttiest lader yu eber seed, named May. I lubbed her an' she lubbed me, an' she wuz all the time tellin' me dat she didn't blame me, dat she wouldn't marry Ben nuther of she wuz in my place. An' I waster tell her dat I never would marry Ben till she tole me ter, but I knowed dat she wouldn't nether tell me, nor a night miss May she come out ter my cabin er cryin' fiteen to kill herself, an' she tole me dat I would batter marry Ben—said dat if I didn't da would batter sell me. I wuz er awful biow, I tell you, an' she tole her dat I would. Well, da made me er nice dress—Miss May made it herself, an' I waster tell you dat she

so I wuz married. I neber could larn ter like Ben, but I did worship my chile, er little gal. Ter me she wuz de puttiest thing dat eber libed. Dar wa'n't no ader chilun round hower, an' after dat chile got big, erway she used ter go round de yard, singin' hwd de chickens, an' she got so she went jes like er chicken, too. An' den chickens used ter sing back at her—used ter call her, it peered ter me like—an' yere she shied an' an' march round de yard wid em.

"One day ole marster tack sick. Da had er doctor from way ober de creek an' one from de town, but it wa'n't no use, fur he died; an' den it didn't pear no den er month 'o ole miss she died, too. I thought dat de worl'd den come ter end, sho, but I ricollected dat I still had my young miss an' my little gal. But bless you, de fust thing I knowed yere come some folks dat da said wuz de law, an' da 'run ter take erthing out de place. Ole miss she thought dat one an' Miss May an' de little gal could manage ter live some-how—I didn't think erbout Ben—but I ebern't round de corner ter my cabin an' 'guter cry, an' when I tried ter quiet her she cried wuz, an' she tole me dat da had dun tack me away left her an' wuz gwine ter an' an' on de block an' sell me. Oh, dis news mighty kin broke my heart, specially when she tole me dat in all reason I wuz gwine to be tuck er sold an' dat de little gal wuz gwine to be kep' back. I didn't sleep no dat night, an' I held dat little angel in my arms, all through de dark hours. De roosters crowed, an' my heart wuz tore, fur I knowed dat daylight wuz er comin' an' dat soon de law would be dar. De little angel wuz enleap, wid one han' on my breast.

"Day come, an' I wondered how de sun could shine jes er bright ez it did 'tainly, an' I wondered how folks could laugh, but I yered de law laugh ez it come er crowdin' inter de yard. De sherit wuz dar, an' some ladies wuz dar, an' I wondered if any 'o den ladies had little angels at home. I wuz er standin' in de do', an' my little chile wuz er clingin' ter my dress—ter my woddin' dress, fur da wanted ter make me look ez well ez da could. De sherit he called me an' I went out on de block. An' den da gun ter auction me off. I yered er chicken singin' an' den I seed dat little gal er mine run out an' 'tine de chicken, an' 'o 'em an' some mo' chicken stood up in de corner of de fence, er singin'.

Da got through er bidden 'er me ester while, fur er man frum Texas had dun brought me, an' de pale face 'o young miss at de window when I stepped out de block. Da tole me ter tell de little gal goodby. I called her an' yere she come, wid de chickens er follerin' her.

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UNCLE TOMMY SMITH.

He is the Oldest Known Survivor of the Late War.

Was Sixty-One Years of Age When He Enlisted and Now Carries Three Contested Bullets in His Body—A Grand Record.

It is doubtless a matter of conjecture as to who is the oldest living veteran of the late war, writes a St. Louis Post-Dispatch correspondent from Paris, Ill., but it is the opinion of many who have made the matter a subject of study that the claims of Thomas Smith, of this city, are at least entitled to respectful consideration.

If not the oldest veteran "Uncle Tommy" feels that, in point of experience, at least, his record will discourage the aspirations of ambitious rivals. He carries in his body three Confederate bullets; one just under the skin of the right knee cap, another, which entered just over the right collar bone, lodging somewhere in the fleshy part of the back, and a third in the right hip. Aside from these little reminders of southern hospitality, he has two badly deformed arms, one broken with a blow by a musketeer and the other the result of being ridden over in a cavalry charge at Nashville. On this latter occasion his breast bone and several ribs were crushed, but he set aside the sensation of death pronounced by the attending physician and lived to render two more years of active service for the old flag.

Notwithstanding his many infirmities and the weight of nearly ninety-five years, most of which were passed in arduous toil, Uncle Tommy keeps with in his withered, parchment-like skin a young heart and relishes a joke as keenly as the average man of twenty-five.

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Feminine Ingenuities.

Of the multifarious uses of the hairpin, some, at least, are well known. They are suggested by a French inventor's description of a pin which the Indian women of Peru wear as a fastening for their shawls. Its head is in the shape of a spoon and a shawlpin in one.

It is odd, the Frenchman says, to see a woman pull out the pin, letting her shawl drop from her bare shoulders, and proceed to use it for eating her soup or porridge. After the repast she passes the bowl of the spoon carefully between her lips two or three times, gathers up her shawl and fastens it in place.

The same women use their slippers instead of pocketbooks—a point in which they may be said to have the advantage of their North American sisters, who, having no pockets, or none within comfortable reach, are compelled to carry their purses in their hands.

The money of Lima consists of bank notes, which go very well into the bottom of a slipper. As to the effect upon the bills, perhaps the least said is the better. There is an old saying that money always smells sweet.—Youth's Companion.

In Your Blood

Is the cause of that tired, languid feeling which afflicts you at this season. The blood is impure and has become thin and poor. That is why you have no strength, no appetite, cannot sleep. Purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will give you an active, tone your stomach, and invigorate your nerves.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy in action and sure in effect. 25c.

CURIOUS STATISTICS.

Computations on Smoke Puffs, Air Pressure, Kisses and Politeness. A German lover of figures has made the following curious calculations:

A man smoking a pipe of medium size blows out of his mouth for every time he fills the pipe seven hundred smoke clouds. If he smokes four pipes a day for twenty years he blows out twenty million four hundred and forty thousand smoke clouds.

If two lovers spend four hours together and the lover takes or receives two hundred kisses—low calculation—and each kiss lasts ten seconds, in five years' time the lover will have blown out and sixty-five thousand kisses, and their lips would have been united for the space of forty-two days and six hours.

If the entire population is considered to be one billion four hundred million, the brains of this number of human beings would weigh one million nine hundred and twenty thousand seven hundred and twelve tons, or as much as ninety-six ironclads of the ordinary size.

The pressure on a person of ordinary size is thirteen and a half tons.

A man of fifty years of age has in ordinary cases undressed himself eighteen thousand three hundred and fifty times, and of course, dressed himself just as many times.

When a person on the street raises his hat, makes a bow, the work of a second, he is carried by the movement of the earth five hundred meters round with the planet, three miles round the sun, and nearly a mile forward with the sun.

Better than Hot Springs.

CORN, KY.—I write to thank you for the Electropoise, and will state that I have been suffering with sciatica for three years. I was not able to do any work, and tried everything and made a trip to Hot Springs, which gave me partial relief, but I was as bad as ever a short while after I returned home. Thanks to the Electropoise I can now say I am a well man from every rheumatic pain. GEO. R. WHITE.

Two years ago I was in very bad health, physicians said it was Bright's Disease, and they could do nothing for me, and my chances for living as good as two months was very slim. I bought an Electropoise and began to improve at once. Am now in first-class health.

L. A. HOPSON, Hopson, Ky.

I am well pleased with the Electropoise, and can not say too much in its praise; I used it for rheumatism, and it has entirely cured me. Those suffering with rheumatism should by all means give it a trial.

T. B. LAMB, McGowan, Ky.

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Main St. Tobacco Warehouse.

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Special attention to sampling and selling tobacco. Liberal advances made on consignments. Our charges for selling Tobacco will remain \$2.50. No commission.

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Union Tobacco Warehouse,

COMMERCIAL AND RIVER STS.,
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Liberal advance made on Consignments. Free Storage for Planters. Correspondence Solicited.
Prompt and Careful Attention to All Business Entrusted to Us.

SAMUEL HODGSON,

CLARKSVILLE, TENN.,
Manufacturer and Importer of

ITALIAN MARBLE,

SCOTCH, SWEDEN and the most desirable EASTERN GRANITE

MONUMENTS, TABLETS, and STATUARY.

After 40 years experience we feel confident that orders entrusted to us will be executed in a skillful and artistic manner.

None but the best material used.

MR. F. M. WHITLOW is our Solicitor for work.

HERE AND THERE.

Mr. E. D. Jones, one of the prominent farmers of South Christian, has a fine Red Sea wheat crop, while his neighbors who did not raise this variety have very light and inferior crops. Mr. Jones says the Red Sea is by far the best variety to raise for several reasons, among which are the protection the board affords from wind or frost after the heads out. Many crops were caught in the head by the frost of May 13th and almost destroyed, while the Red Sea crops on the same farms stood the frost without injury.

Diamond dyes at Armistead's. *

Hopkinsville may have a four-farm of a few days duration. The Crescent Milling Co. has overhauled its machinery, put in a new engine and made other improvements, but cannot start operations for ten or twelve days yet. Mr. Huffman is preparing to make flour by the new process and will not commence grinding for several days. Flour will not be bought from Nashville or Henderson by the grocers if necessary to supply their customers.

Sticky fly paper at Armistead's. *

Miss Mary T. Flack, who was reported in our last issue as having failed of election as a teacher in the public schools, was not an applicant for a position. She received some complimentary votes, but was in no sense an applicant for the position held last session. We make this correction in justice to Miss Flack.

Tribute toll soap at Armistead's. *

McGehee Bros., of Clarksville, will open a general merchandise store at Adamsville, Ky., this week. Mr. Clayton Harris, late of Richmond, Va., will have charge of the new store. This gives the firm five stores, located as follows: Clarksville, Graceland, Paducah, Adamsville and Louisville.

Dawson salt water at Armistead's. *

The opening ball at Hotel Eureka, Clarksville, Tenn., occurred last evening. A large crowd of young people were on hand and dancing was indulged in until a very late hour. Mr. L. Barnes, an old hotel man, is proprietor of the Hotel Eureka this season and is already enjoying a liberal patronage.

Old papers for sale at this office. *

Meal is now selling at 80 cents a bushel and has been scarce at that owing to the shut down of both of the mills, the grinding of which have been supplying the city with meal for about ten days.

Call and get your bags of wool. *

Next week wheat threshing will commence and our merchants are expecting a large increase in business in a short time. With wheat even at 70 and 75 cents money will be plentiful.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky. *

The L. & N. will sell round-trip tickets to Louisville at one fare June 23, 24, and 25th, good returning until and on the 29th of the month at the State convention. J. M. Adams, Agt.

Grape bags, the best and cheapest, for sale at this office. *

H. Hainer, charged with passing counterfeit money in Clarksville, was arrested in Guthrie Tuesday afternoon and taken back to answer.

Dr. I. N. Vaughan is well again, now ready for business. Office at North Main brick bridge. *

Graves & Condy have given impetus to the paramount issue by bringing on a stock of silver and gold buttons for coat lapels. *

Cleaning and repairing a specialty done by Fowright, the tailor and cutter. Seventh St., between Main and Era office. *

The front of Hotel Latham is much improved in appearance by new graining and the awnings which have the city and will spend the summer with Mrs. Jas. B. Wood, of Howell.

Mrs. J. B. Crawley is visiting her mother, 310 Second street. Mr. Crawley is still in Hopkinsville building his water works. *Hopkinsville News.

Miss Nannie W. Elcher, of Nashville, arrived in the city Wednesday on a visit to Miss Ritchie Burnett.

Miss Bessie Campbell has returned from school at Roanoke, Va., after an absence of ten months. *

Mr. McKenzie Moss, a prominent young attorney of Bowling Green, was in the city this week.

Phelps Cowan, of Joliet, Ill., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Phelps.

Miss Lute Johnson, of Alabama, is the guest of Mrs. M. A. Mason, of the Square.

Mrs. Henry Blackburn, of Woodburn, Ky., is visiting Mrs. W. H. Elgin.

Miss Mary Wallace, of Shelbyville, is visiting Miss Mary Green this week.

Mr. Joseph Russell and wife, of Elkton, are visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. Carrie Salter has returned from a visit to relatives in Cincinnati.

Miss Fannie Ruiz is visiting Miss Josie White, in Cadiz.

Mr. W. A. Lowry left again yesterday for Sebe.

J. W. Smith, who was shot by Charlie Lee in Elkton on June 12th inst., is reported to be out of danger and on the road to recovery. Lewis is out on a \$2,000 bond.

MATRIMONIAL.

FRIT-CABANES.—Dr. Frey, of Cranston, Ky., and Miss Jennie Cabanes, of the same place, were married in Evansville June 17th, at the home of the bride's brother. Dr. Frey is a rising young physician who is presently taking a prominent position among the doctors of Todd county. He is a native of Tennessee, but has lived in Trenton for ten years. The bride is a most attractive young lady, a daughter of Rev. A. B. Cabanes, and was educated in this city and in the South. She is a most capable person. The KENTUCKIAN extends congratulations and wishes them a happy future.

Mr. Richard S. Whitney, of New York, was married Tuesday evening at Russellville to Miss Mary Ella Lewis, daughter of Rev. Jas. A. Lewis. They will visit Yellowstone Park and other points of interest, and Mr. Whitney's summer home. They will go abroad in the fall and spend the winter in Paris. Mr. Whitney is three times a millionaire.

Mr. Albert S. Anderson and Miss Mattie Grider were married at Madisonville Wednesday.

It is now denied that the reported marriage of Rev. H. A. Macdonald and Cora Merriam, of Mayfield, took place.

DEATHS.

LADD.—Died, in Trigg county, Ky., on the night of the 16th inst. near Cerulean Springs, Mr. G. W. Ladd, an old and respected citizen of the community. Mr. Ladd was born in Trigg county, on the 3rd day of June 1816, and had spent his long life in the same neighborhood. He was married many years a worthy member of the Rocky Ridge Baptist church. About a week since he was paralyzed, from which he never recovered. He had one daughter, with many friends to mourn his loss. His funeral was held on the morning of the 17th, at the residence of his son, Mr. Ladd, at Cerulean Springs, where he was laid to rest in the family burying ground.

KEEN.—Mr. Rudolph Keen, formerly of this city, died on the 26th of May, at the American Hospital, in the city of Mexico. He was a native of this city and his death only reached the city this week. Mr. Keen was a son of the late Rev. T. G. Keen, for many years pastor of the Baptist church of this city. He was about 45 years of age and unmarried.

JOHNSON.—Robt. L. Johnson, aged 65 years, residing near Ringgold, died Tuesday evening of appendicitis. Mr. Johnson was well known in this city, and was a prominent Mason.

The Kentucky Teachers.

Teachers and others who want to attend an interesting meeting and enjoy a short visit to the Capital of the Blue Grass country, should make a note of the forthcoming meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association, to be held at Lexington, on July 1st, 2d and 3d. The railroads of the State will sell round-trip tickets at one fare for the round trip, good until July 1st. This will enable the teachers to desire to remain in Lexington over the Fourth and attend the Lexington Chautauque, which has an unusually attractive program for that day, including Dr. W. V. Talmage and General John B. Gordon as lecturers. Such a Combination is not often found, and no teacher can well afford to miss this meeting.

The program of the Educational Association is full of the topics to be discussed by able speakers. The meeting will be held in the A. and M. College Auditorium, and Lexington will do her best to make the meeting attractive to all who attend. Present indications point to a session of the association which will be a long time, and the location, the time, and the program combine to insure success at every teacher in the State who can possibly do so ought to attend and take a part in the proceedings and thus help on the great advance movement in education. We trust that every teacher in the State will be represented by live wide-awake teachers, for it is only such that attend these educational gatherings and reap the benefits coming from them.

SUPERVISOR'S CIRCULAR.

To any and all tax payers in the northern road district: If you know of any overseer who has failed to work his section of road good you will please notify me at once at Crofton, Ky., while the grand jury is in session, or if you know of any section of road in your road that is not good, no overseer, you will also notify me of same, as my duties put upon me by the fiscal court at its April session, compel me to be with the road grader all of my time and it is impossible for me to go over my roads as I did last year. I invite any and all to come and inspect my road work and see for themselves, and I know you will be pleased with the road when we go over it and I also know you will say if it is not well spent.

Yours respectfully,
J. M. DULIN,
District Road Supervisor.

City Taxes 1895.

City taxes for Hopkinsville are now in my hands for collection and are due, and in default of payment on or before Nov. 1, 95, a penalty of 6 per cent will be attached.

C. C. CAVERNS,
City Tax Collector.

Now is the time to stock your grapes. Best bags for sale at this office.

Oak Grove.

OAK GROVE, June 18.—We are having some nice weather now, and the farmers are taking advantage of it by preparing their crops.

Mr. Frank Sandison began cutting wheat on the 14th inst. He was the first to cut wheat in this section this season.

Mr. T. A. Williams' house is nearing completion. Mr. Covington, of Louisville, is the contractor, and the people are delighted with his rapid and substantial work.

Mrs. Jas. A. McKenzie and son Jim, are visiting their many friends, and Oak Grove people are always glad to welcome them at their old home.

Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Dr. J. A. Wood, and Mrs. Will Elliott spent last week at Dawson Springs.

Mr. J. F. Allensworth will stay among us during the wheat season. He reports some good sales this year. Mr. Henry Moore is at work, after working in the revenue business at Uniontown and Henderson.

Frankie Moore is visiting friends in Clarksville.

Mr. Tom Williams, Jr., has returned home from Elkton, where he has been attending The Vanderburgh school. Tom is delighted with the school and intends going again this fall.

Mr. Watson Gill, of Allensville, is the guest of Mr. O'Neal.

Miss Mary Clardy, a charming young lady of Bell, is the most pleasant guest of Miss Willie Moore.

Mrs. Sue Shan has returned from Nashville, where she has been to attend the Dabney-Denison nuptials.

The young men of this place are to have a dance in the Kennedy hall tonight, but the correspondent hasn't earned the date.

Miss Margaret Jones is visiting friends in Hampton Station, Tenn. More than one are looking forward for her return with pleasure.

Rev. Mr. Cheek will preach at Oak Grove this week. Bro. Jones has charge of a church at Jonesboro, Ark.

Mr. J. W. Fletcher has returned from the South for a short vacation; after spending a few days with relatives and friends he will go to Fairview to work in Downer Bros. nursery.

Mr. J. P. Moore will test his canvass binder this week at his sister's, Mrs. Green. He is sure of success and is undecided whether to sell or have it manufactured.

But will still be at home from Clarksville, where she has been attending Mrs. Buford's Academy.

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LIVE STOCK MARKET.

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Clearance
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1st DOOR TO RIGHT OF MAIN ENTRANCE

L. & N. TIME TABLE.

TRAIN GOING NORTH.

No. 43 St. Louis Fast Mail..... 9:02 a. m.
No. 30 St. Louis Express..... 9:02 a. m.
No. 61 St. Louis Express..... 10:10 p. m.

TRAIN GOING SOUTH.

No. 44 St. Louis Express..... 4:40 a. m.
No. 31 St. Louis Express..... 4:40 a. m.
No. 62 St. Louis Express..... 10:10 p. m.

Nashville Accommodation does not run on Sunday.

North bound St. Louis and Chicago Fast Mail has through trains solid and sleepers to Chicago and St. Louis.

Fast Line stops only at important stations and crossings. Has important sleepers to Atlanta, Ga.

J. M. ADAMS, Agent.

Peabody splitters.

June 18, '95.

Mr. Will Garrett, who has been attending school at Bethel College, Russellville, Ky., the past year, has returned home. He graduated with distinction and his many friends are proud of his success.

Mrs. W. A. Lackey will leave Wednesday, the 19th, for a visit to her parents, near Bowling Green.

Miss Alina Paine will entertain in honor of her guests, Miss Kenney, of Clarksville, Thursday evening.

Miss Susan McComb will leave Saturday for a visit to Mrs. John Carter, of Oak Grove, Ky.

Miss Lula Graves, of Hopkinsville, spent several days of this week as a guest of Mrs. J. A. Garrett.

Mr. Barrett McComb has returned home from Clarksville, where he has been at college.

Miss Bernice Thorne, of Eminence, arrived in our town on Friday last and will remain several weeks as the guest of Miss Vaughn.

Divided No. 18.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Crescent Milling Co., June 6, a dividend of four per cent was declared out of the net earnings for the six months ending May 31, and payable July 1, 1895.

R. H. DETAILLE,
Sec'y. and Treas.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of W. C. Dawson & Co., Herndon, has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. W. C. Dawson retiring. W. B. Mason will collect all debts due the firm and, also pay all the indebtedness of same.

W. C. DAWSON,
W. B. MASON.

We are
Advertising.

Pyle & Renshaw,
The old reliable Furniture dealers and undertakers. Up stairs in Henry block
Hopkinsville, Ky.

And so Grove has gone fishing. And we've heard from old Japan: She's giving China a licking.

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A Solid Oak Suit for

\$14.75

W. N. DUCKER,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

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Will

Run

More than two years without cleaning, but many a watch has been laid aside as worn out because it has been allowed to run longer than the watch will permit.

We nearly always find that the pivots are out in watches that have run too long without cleaning, and unless the pivots are polished and re-oiled, or new pivots inserted, the watch will not go as good time as before.

When your watch needs cleaning, or any repairs, bring it to us and it will be done PROMPTLY and in a FIRST-CLASS manner.

Graves & Condy,
JEWELERS, 105 Main St.

RAMBLERS

Won at Maysville.

More prizes were won at Maysville on Ramblers than were won on any other make of wheel. Out of a possible 23 prizes, 11 were won on Ramblers, including a hill-climbing contest which was won on a Rambler. Four first prizes, 5 and 6 seconds. Rambler riders always win. These were class A riders and not paid amateurs.

The boys ride Ramblers from choice and pay \$100 each for their machines because they want to ride Ramblers knowing the Rambler is the fastest bicycle built. If you want to win, ride a Rambler.

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